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THIS MORNING (FEBRUARY 14) I MET WITH MFA UNDERSECRETARY POLITICAL AFFAIRS GHOLAMREZA TAJBAKHSH AT HIS REQUEST. DURING THE CONVERSATION (REPORTED SEPTTEL) HE HANDED ME AN UNOFFICIAL TRANSLATION OF ORAL REMARKS MADE BY HIM FEBRUARY 13 TO EVENTEEN ARAB AMBASSADORS AND CHARGES CONCERNING THE IRAN-IRAQ BORDER CLASH, WHICH OCCURRED FEBRUARY 10-11, (REFTTEL) AND QUOTE RECENT ACTS OF AGGRESSION COMMITTED BY IRAQ END QUOTE. FOLLOWING IS VERBATIM TEXT OF TAJBAKHSH'S REMARKS.

BEGIN VERBATIM TEXT

GENTLEMEN,
I AM GRATEFUL FOR YOUR PRESENCE IN THIS MEETING,
AND I WOULD LIKE TO INFORM YOU THAT THE REASON FOR US TO BE
HERE TODAY, IS TO FULLY INFORM THE HONOURABLE REPRESENTATIVES

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OF THE ARAB COUNTRIES AT THE IMPERIAL COURT OF THE FRONTIER

INCIDENCE AND RECENT ACTS OF AGGRESSIONS COMMITTED BY IRAQ.

OF COURSE THE MODALITY OF THE RECENT BORDER CLASH AND THE IRAQI AGGRESSION ON THE FRONTIER OF THE IRANIAN EMPIRE HAVE BEEN COVERED BY THE PRESS, AND YOU HAVE BEEN ACCORDINGLY INFORMED OF THESE EVENTS THROUGH LOCAL PRESS AND FOREIGN NEWS AGENCIES.

SINCE IT IS VERY LIKELY THAT THIS INFORMATION, PARTICULARLY THE PARTS REPORTED BY THE NEWS AGENCIES, MAY NOT BE IN A COMPREHENSIVE OR PRECISE FASHION, IT WAS DEEMED EXPEDIENT TO COMMUNICATE THE DETAILS OF THE FACT TO YOU GENTLEMEN, IN THIS SESSION.

THE HONOURABLE AMBASSADORS OF THE ARAB COUNTRIES ARE SURELY AWARE OF THE FACT THAT THE IMPERIAL GOVERNMENT OF IRAN IS CONSTANTLY SEEKING TO ESTABLISH GOOD NEIGHBOURLY RELATIONS WITH ALL ITS NEIGHBOURS INCLUDING IRAQ, AND HAS CONTINUALLY INVITED THAT COUNTRY TO RESOLVE THE EXISTING DIFFERENCES ON THE BASIS OF INTERNATIONALLY RECOGNIZED PROCEDURES AND PRINCIPLES WITH DUE RESPECT FOR THE SOVEREIGNTY OF BOTH PARTIES ON THE BASIS OF FAIRNESS AND JUSTICE.

THE IRAQI RECOMMENDATION IN LAST OCTOBER, FOR THE RESUMPTION OF DIPLOMATIC RELATION WITH IRAN WAS WELCOMED ON THIS BASIS BY THE IMPERIAL GOVERNMENT AND IT WAS HOPED THAT A FAVOURABLE CLIMATE, CONDUCIVE TO THE SETTLEMENT OF DISPUTES BETWEEN THE TWO COUNTRIES, WOULD BE CREATED, AND THUS THE CLOUDS OF GLUM AND TURBIDITY (SIC) WOULD NOT REAPPEAR IN THE HORIZON OF BOTH COUNTRIES' RELATIONSHIPS.

REGRETFULLY, AS OF THAT DATE THE ACTIONS OF THE IRAQI GOVERNMENT ON VARIOUS OCCASIONS ARE NOT ATTUNED WHATSOEVER, TO THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF THE TWO COUNTRIES' NEW RELATIONS.

THE SPOKESMAN OF THE MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS IN A PRESS CONFERENCE HELD ON DECEMBER 4TH. 1973, GAVE AN ACCOUNT OF THE MOVES TAKEN BY THE IRAQI GOVERNMENT, TO THE PUBLIC. THEREFORE, THERE IS NO NEED TO REPEAT THEM HERE, AGAIN. THENCEFORTH THE IRAQI INTRUSIONS AND PROVOCATIONS LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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AGAINST IRAN ARE BEING CONTINUED, AND THE RECENT BORDER CLASH WITH IRAN IS THE CULMINATION AND CLIMAX OF THEIR HOSTILITIES.

THE PRECEDENT OF THIS RECENT BORDER CONFLICT CAN BE TRACED TO APPROXIMATELY TWO MONTHS AGO.

IN ORDER TO FACILITATE AND IMPROVE COMMUNICATIONS

BETWEEN DIFFERENT IRANIAN FRONTIER POSTS, A GROUP OF TOPOGRAPHERS FROM THE PLAN ORGANIZATION WERE DISPATCHED IN THE LATTER PART OF AZAR THIS YEAR (NOVEMBER) TO "MEHRAN" REGION FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT OF CERTAIN ROADS ALONG THE BORDERLINE. THIS GROUP WAS CONFRONTED WITH THE ASSEMBLED IRAQI FRONTIER GUARDS AND ARMED ELEMENTS WHO HAD TAKEN ENTRENCHED POSITIONS.

AT THREE THIRTY IN THE AFTERNOON OF 24TH. AZAR 1352, THE IRAQI GUARDS APOSITIONED IN IRAQ'S "KANI SAKHT" POST ADVANCED TOWARDS "KANI-SAKHT" POST IN IRAN AND BEGAN SHOOTING, THUS LAYING THE CORNERSTONE IN THEIR RECENT INTERMITTENT FRONTIER ENCROACHMENTS.

THE SHOOTING BY THE IRAQI INTRUDERS, AND THE CONFRONTATIONS AND RESISTANCE OF THE IRANIAN FRONTIER GUARDS AGAINST THE FORCES OF THE AGGRESSOR LASTED TILL 22 HOURS OF THE FOLLOWING DAY AND THE IRAQIS WERE FORCED TO RETREAT. AT TEN O'CLOCK ON DECEMBER 24, 1973, A NUMBER OF ARMED IRAQI ELEMENTS POSITIONED IN "ZALOO-ABE" HEIGHTS LAUNCHED AN ATTACK ON IRANIAN FRONTIER GUARDS WHO WERE TRAVELLING TO "KANI-SAKHT" REGION IN IRAN. IN THIS INCIDENT WHICH LASTED TILL 3 P.M. OF THE SAME DAY, AN IRANIAN FRONTIER GUARD WAS SHOT BY THE IRAQI ASSAILANTS IN FRONT OF "ZALOO-ABE" POST IN "MEHRAN".

THE IRAQI ARMY, IN THE MEANTIME, ESTABLISHED A LARGE NUMBER OF SOLDIERS AND ARMOURED HARDWARES IN HEIGHTS FACING THE IRANIAN FRONTIER AREA READY TO TAKE OFFENSIVE ACTION.

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AT EIGHT O'CLOCK IN THE MORNING OF DECEMBER 25, 1973, THE IRAQI ELEMENTS POSITIONED IN HEIGHTS AND DIFFERENT POINTS OPENED FIRE ON THE IRANIAN FRONTIER GUARDS IN "KANI-SAKHT" REGION.

THE IRAQI AGGRESSORS WHO WERE ARMED WITH "KLASHINKOV" AND "SEMINOV" MACHINE GUNS AS WELL AS HEAVY MORTARS, IN THE NIGHT TIME HAD OCCUPIED THREE PEAKS OF THE "ZALOO-ABE" MOUNTAINS OVERLOOKING "REZA-ABAD" AND "KON-JAN-CHAM" DAM FRONTIER POSTS. HOWEVER, THE IRANIAN BORDER GUARDS AT 12 O'CLOCK THE SAME DAY (25 DECEMBER) SUCCEEDED TO TAKE BACK THE AFFORESAID OCCUPIED HEIGHTS. IN THIS RAID AN IRANIAN FRONTIER GUARD WAS FATALLY WOUNDED.

AT EIGHT O'CLOCK IN THE MORNING OF 26 DECEMBER, 1973 THE IRAQI ARMED ELEMENTS POSITIONED AROUND "DORRAJI" POST IN IRAQ OPENED FIRE ON THE IRANIAN FRONTIER GUARDS STATIONED BEHIND "ZALLO-ABE" HEIGHTS WITHIN THE IRANIAN TERRITORY. THE IRANIAN GUARDS FIRED BACK.

AFTER THIS INCIDENT, THE INTERMITTENT SHOOTING TOWARDS THE IRANIAN FRONTIER GUARDS BY ARMED IRAQI ELEMENTS HAVE CONTINUED TO PERSIST, AND IN EACH CASE THEY WERE MET WITH THE IRANIAN REISTANCE AND GUN LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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FIRE. THE IRAQI BORDER AUTHORITIES WERE BUSY MOBLIZING THEIR POSITIONS AND BUILD UP OF HEAVY GUNS IN THE HEIGHTS NEAR THEIR BORDER.

THE ENTRENCHMENT OPERATION, FORTIFICATION AND POSITIONING AND MOBILIZATION OF THEIR FORCES CONTINUED FOR ONE MONTH.

ON THE 30TH JANUARY 1974, A NUMBER OF IRANIAN SHEPHERDS GRAZING THEIR HERDS ON "KOULAK" HEIGHTS WERE ATTACKED BY ARMED IRAQI ELEMENTS, AND WERE SHOWERED WITH BULLETS.

THE FOLLOWING DAY, (31 JANUARY 1974) WHILE THE IRANIAN FRONTIER GUARDS WERE PATROLLING IN THE VICINITY OF THE FRONTIER POSTS IN "MEHRAN" REGION, THE ARMED IRAQI ASSAILANTS POSITIONED IN HEIGHTS LOCATED IN NORTH-WEST OF "ALJABAL" POST OPENED MACHINE GUN FIRE ON THEM. THE IRANIAN FRONTIER GUARDS WERE NATURALLY COMPELLED TO DO LIKEWISE.

AT 10.50 A.M. ON MONDAY FEBRUARY 4TH 1974, THE IRANIAN FRONTIER

GUARDS, WHILE TAKING PROVISIONS TO FRONTIER POSTS IN "MEHRAN" REGION WERE ATTACKED BY A BAND OF ARMED IRAQI ELEMENTS USING HEAVY ARMS AND MORTARS. THE ASSAILANTS INTENDED TO TRESPASS UPON THE IRANIAN TERRITORY. AFTER HAVING MADE SOME ADVANCES IN THE IRANIAN TERRITORY THE IRANIAN FRONTIER FORCES COMPELLED THEM TO PULL BACK.

IN THIS CLASH WHICH CONTINUED TILL DUSK IN THE FOLLOWING DAY (FEBRUARY FIFTH 1974) ONE IRANIAN SOLDIER WAS KILLED AND THREE OTHERS WERE WOUNDED. THE IRAQI AGGRESSORS LEFT BEHIND IN IRAN, ONE KLASHINKOV MACHINE-GUN, ONE MORTAR, FOUR TOMMY GUNS, TWO BOXES OF HAND GRENADES, TWO BOXES OF R.P.G. AMMUNITIONS AND TWO TELEPHONE UNITS.

ENRAGED BY THE DEFEAT AND RETREAT, THE IRAQI BORDER GUARDS PREPARED THEMSELVES - AT 2 A.M. ON SUNDAY FEBRUARY 10, 1974 - FOR ANOTHER ATTACK AND BEGAN THEIR MANOEUVRING. AT 4.30 A.. THEY ATTACKED THE IRANIAN FRONTIER GUARDS POSITIONED AT THE ZALOO-AB-KAMI-SAKHT HEIGHTS AND THE REZA-ABAD BORDER POST WITH LIGHT AND HEAVY ARMS AND EQUIPMENT, ARTILLERY, TANKS AND ARMoured VEHICLES. THEY OPENED FIRE ON THE MEHRAN-ILAM ROAD, BOMBARDING, AT THE SAME TIME, THE JAZMAN BASE (ABOUT 2 KILOMETERS TO THE SOUTH-LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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WEST OF REZA-ABAD) AND THE INSTALLATIONS AND WORKS AT THE KONJAN CHAM DAM. FOUR IRAQI FIGHTER PLANES KEPT VIOLATING IRANIAN AIR SPACE THROUGHOUT THESE OPERATIONS. PROVOKED BY THIS DASTARDLY AGGRESSION, THE MOST VIOLENT OF ITS KIND EVER LAUNCHED BY THE IRAQI FRONTIER AUTHORITIES IN RECENT YEARS, THE IRANIAN FRONTIER GUARDS COUNTERATTACKED THE AGGRESSORS AND BEAT THEM BACK.

WHILE THIS ENGAGEMENT WAS CONTINUING, THE IRANIAN FRONTIER OFFICIAL AT MEHRAN MADE A STRONG PROTEST IN WRITING TO HIS IRAQI COUNTERPART AT BADRA, SEEKING TO TALK WITH HIM IN ORDER TO WARN IRAQI FRONTIER OFFICIALS AGAINST THE CONSEQUENCES OF THE AGGRESSION. HOWEVER, THE IRAQI FRONTIER OFFICIAL REFUSED TO COMPLY.

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IN THE COURSE OF THE ENCOUNTER, BROUGHT ABOUT BY THE AGGRESSION LAUNCHED BY THE IRAQI BORDER GUARDS AND ARMED AGENTS AGAINST IRANIAN TERRITORY, 42 IRANIAN GUARDS SUFFERED MARTYRDOM AND 80 MORE WERE WOUNDED. THE IRAQIS LEFT BEHIND 14 DEAD BODIES, ONE ROCKET-LAUNCHER, TWO KLASHINKOV AND ONE ORDINARY MACHINE GUNS, ONE COLT .38, ONE GAS MASK, SOME EQUIPMENT AND A QUANTITY OF AMMUNITIONS ALL OF WHICH BEAR WITNESS TO THE OPEN INVASION ON THE PART OF THE IRAQI ELEMENTS AGAINST IRANIAN TERRITORY.

FACTS BEARING ON THE SAID AGGRESSION WERE GIVEN IN A STATEMENT BY THE IMPERIAL IRANIAN ARMY ON FEBRUARY 11, 1974. SUBS-
EQUENTLY THE IMPERIAL MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS SENT A NOTE OF PROTEST TO THE IRAQI EMBASSY, POINTING OUT THAT SUCH AGGRESSIONS WERE DISCORDANT WITH THE NEW CONDITIONS OF RELATIONS BETWEEN THE TWO COUNTRIES. THE EMBASSY WAS ASKED TO CALL THE ATTENTION OF THE AUTHORITIES IN IRAQ TO THE DISAGREEABLE OUTCOME AS WELL AS TO THE GRAVE CONSEQUENCES OF SUCH INCIDENTS, AND MAKE ARRANGEMENTS FOR PUNISHMENT OF THE AGGRESSORS, PAYMENT OF BLOOD-MONEY IN RESPECT OF THE IRANIAN MARTYRES, INDEMNIFICATION OF DAMAGES, AND PREVENTION OF SIMILAR INCIDENTS FROM RECURRING.
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I MUST MENTION HERE THAT, AS FAR AS THESE INTERMITTENT AGGRESSIONS IN THE LAST TWO MONTHS ARE CONCERNED, THE IMPERIAL EMBASSY IN BAGHDAD HAS SENT THREE NOTES TO THE IRAQI FOREIGN MINISTRY; AND THE IMPERIAL MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS HAS ALSO SENT TWO NOTES TO THE IRAQI EMBASSY IN TEHRAN. HOWEVER, THE IRAQI AUTHORITIES HAVE SO FAR FAILED TO REPLY TO ANY OF THESE NOTES. INDEED IT MAY

BE SAID THAT THE AGGRESSION HAS BEEN TOO UNDENIABLE AND OBVIOUS FOR THEM TO ANSWER THE NOTES.

THE IMPERIAL MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS DEEMS IT NECESSARY ONCE MORE TO CALL THE ATTENTION OF THE DIPLOMATIC MISSIONS OF THE ARAB COUNTRIES AT THE IMPERIAL COURT TO THE HOSTILITY ON THE PART OF THE IRAQI AUTHORITIES TOWARDS IRAN, AS MANIFESTED IN RECENT AGGRESSIONS, IN CONTRAST TO THE FRIENDLINESS OF THE IMPERIAL GOVERNMENT OF IRAN. THESE ACTS OF AGGRESSION HAVE DEVELOPED TO SUCH AN EXTENT THAT IRAQI ARMED ELEMENTS CHOOSE TO RAID THE KONJAN CHAM DAM WHICH IS A DEVELOPMENT INSTALLATION ON THE BORDER SUPPLYING THE WATER REQUIREMENTS OF THE FARMERS IN THE AREA. YOU WILL AGREE THAT WITH SUCH IRANIAN INSTALLATIONS AND WORKS CHOSEN AS THEIR TARGETS THE BORDER AGGRESSIONS AND INVASIONS ASSUME GREATER SIGNIFICANCE.

THE IMPERIAL GOVERNMENT OF IRAN HAS CONSTANTLY MANIFESTED FORTITUDE AND PATIENCE IN THE FACE OF PROVOCATIONS AND PROVOCATIVE ACTS ON THE PART OF THE IRAQI GOVERNMENT, MAINTAINING THAT ADHERENCE TO THIS POLICY IS IN THE BEST INTEREST OF THE TWO COUNTRIES AS WELL AS OF THE REGION. BUT THERE ARE LIMITS TO PATIENCE AND ENDURANCE. TAKING THIS INTO CONSIDERATION, WE HAVE UNEQUIVOCALLY AND IN PLAIN TERMS WARNED THE IRAQI AUTHORITIES THAT, SHOULD THEY CHOOSE ONCE AGAIN TO INVADE OUR TERRITORY, THE ARMED FORCES OF IRAN WILL ACT ON THE DICTATES OF THEIR NATIONAL DUTIES AND PATRIOTISM.

THE IRAQI INVASION IS SURPRISING IN THE LIGHT OF THE FACT THAT, BEFORE IT CAME TO PASS, CONDITIONS TENDED TOWARDS IMPROVEMENT OF MUTUAL RELATIONS AND RE-ESTABLISHMENT OF DIPLOMATIC TIES, AND THAT A NEW HORIZON HAD OPENED LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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UP IN THE RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN THE TWO COUNTRIES. MORE SURPRISING STILL IS THE FACT THAT THE IRAQI AUTHORITIES SOUGHT TO MAKE IRANIAN BORDER GUARDS RESPONSIBLE FOR BRINGING THE ENCOUNTER ABOUT. WHAT I HAVE ALREADY STATED TO YOU, GENTLEMEN, IS THE REAL TRUTH OF THE MATTER; IT IS UNIVERSALLY KNOWN THAT THE IMPERIAL GOVERNMENT OF IRAN HAS NEVER INTENDED TO VIOLATE THE TERRITORIAL INTEGRITY OF ANY COUNTRY. FOR INSTANCE, WE HAVE NEVER CLAIMED THE TERRITORY OF KUWAIT, NEITHER HAVE WE EVER ATTEMPTED FURTIVE SHIPMENT OF ARMS TO, AND SECRET DISTRIBUTION THEREOF, IN, OTHER COUNTRIES, NOR HAVE WE EVER EXPORTED SUBVERSION.

IT IS QUITE IN PLACE FOR ME TO MENTION THAT THE IMPERIAL GOVERNMENT OF IRAN REGARDS THE INCIDENT MERELY AS A REGRETTABLE BORDER CLASH AND HOPES THAT AGGRESSIONS

OF THIS NATURE ON THE PART OF THE IRAQI GOVERNMENT WILL NOT
BE ATTEMPTED ANY MORE, AND THAT THE DISPUTES BETWEEN THE
TWO COUNTRIES WILL BE SETTLED PEACEFULLY.

I SHOULD LIKE TO CONCLUDE MY STATEMENT BY INFORMING
YOU THAT HIS IMPERIAL MAJESTY SHAHANSHAH ARYAMEHR HAS
DEIGNED TO RECEIVE THE NEW IRAQI AMBASSADOR IN AUDIENCE ON
SATURDAY FOR THE LATTER TO PRESENT HIS CREDENTIALS.

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